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"Tam Trained Down Now to My Matural Fighting Weight and I Feel Just About Right." Declares Jess Willard, Who Now Strips at About 252 or 253.

rests, 1016, by The Person Publishing Co. TESS WILLARD is nearly ready for his bout with Moran. The big champion has reduced his wight ten pounds and now stripe at bout 252 or 353, which is close to e ringside weight that will satisfy

"I don't feel that I'm carrying any tra weight now," Jess told me last tht. "In Havana my real ringside eight was 229 pounds. I don't know nything about the announcement hat I weighed 247. It wasn't correct. But at \$89 I was trained down very ne. I have developed my arms and houlders a lot since then, by boxing all the time, and I'll naturally weigh nore in good condition. I don't care o be lighter than I am now, because think I'm stronger at this weight han I'd be if I took off a few pounds ove. I am trained down now to my atural righting weight and I feel attraction of the stronger of the stronger of the est about right.

or," Jess went on. I come pretty near working along my wa ideas. I'm not like Carl Morris. Then Carl was fighting down there n Oklahoma an oil millionaire took im up and hired an old time fighter train him. Nobody knew anying about fighting down there.

ling about fighting down there.

Tiles, the trainer, would put his numbs in his vest and shout orders.

Carl. be'd say, 'punch the bag!' 'much it harder!' A minute later: 'arl, jump the rope. He was puting Carl through his paces like a sined bear, and everybody thought twas great. Carl thought he was scoming a real fighter.

T train for results. Sometimes I sell like boxing over six rounds and one days I feel that I don't need as such boxing as that. Some days I it boxing out. My object is to get to good condition and I don't like to tany set training schedule interfere.

HEN Reich came to box with me I had no arrangement to take him on. I understand is intention was to try to show me p'-to 'ship something over.' I'm not orried about anything like that, but that's his idea let him try it in tracet. I'm perfectly willing to acdate him in the ring any time. to my training as training, and don't ix fighting in with it. If I did someting might happen that would in-

ches, his neck 1714 inches, and his sives 174 inches. He is built in affect proportion to his height.

"Jess wears his belt now in the ime notch he did on the day of the ght in Havana," said Tom Jones. Isn't that right, Jess?"

TEX RICKARD is a novelty ould be paid only on the commis-

ard promptly stated that he inended to carry on his business in his wn way, and pay his boxers accord ie had absolute confidence in the onesty of their intentions. If that asn't satisfactory to the commission e would not only pay Moran and Villard their \$71,250, but would de-out another \$71,250 to satisfy the mission that the public would be

ed that he didn't need protec-Probably Frederick didn't stop man of Rickard's reputation for nanship. Some people have no sense

into your solar plexus in about the seventh round in Havana, and how ou came back at him?"

Tess laughed.

"Sirre," he and "But the funnest part in fight llary bossine of Peors, iii, in the other part in fight llary bossine of Peors, iii, in the other part in the fight was the time I more units since the beauting of the sear than turned away from him to get some any of the other leavesting, will don the gious as a nonds.

Fred Brainard is coming so fast that the Hudson A. A. last night. Coffey at the Hudson A. A. last night. Coffey displayed great eleverness throughout the slightest break in the infield will give him his charge of New York City as again to sight. He will take on Jack Conners.

Andy Cortes, the Hoboten lightweight, who displayed great eleverness throughout the slightest break in the infield will give him his chance. Once the setting to the battle, lateling on Marto at will. resin on my shoes in his corner. Not to be outdone, he stepped over to rub his shoes in it too, and the minute he did I jeinted at him and oracle him to he did I jeinted at him and oracle him to he will be to be to the corner beats will be the following show of the falses have regin. That was one time I have

BEST SPORTING PAGE IN NEW YORK

A BOXING COMMISSIONER'S BUSY DAY

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Bronx Palace Bowlers Beat White Elephants Three Straight

SCHEDULE TO-NIGHT. Euroka at Grand Control.

N one of the best contested matches of The Evening World three-man

bowlers on the latter's home strips on Johnson? I wouldn't pay him any more than I pay them. They day for get much after the Havana ght because we didn't make any oney. This time I intend to pay hem much better. They're loyal to sear through in separate sessions with an it fit there's any \$50 a day for expairing partner they're the ones who'll get it."

WILLARD has developed himself a great deal with all the boxing of the past year. When he egan boxing his arms and neck were nall in proportion to his bulk. Tony his upper arms measure 1714 sches, his neck 1714 inches, and his

Fistic News and Gossip ---By John Pollock

weight champion, who has already country, in a twenty-round hout at firdner, knocked out many of the big heavy-weights, and also won newspaper decisions over others, will go against anprits Holk, formerly of California, in a twentyamong promoters. When Wenck | weights, and also won newspaper deciof the Boxing Commission was sions over others, will so against anusy badgering Rickard with all sorts other one of these big fellows in a tene must deposit the Moran-Willard club of Brooklyn to-night. The fighter has been marched of him further up as one of the will try to conquer is Gunboat Smith, the will try to conquer is Gunboat Smith, the California heavyweight, who won a twenty-round decision over Champion of the told Rickard the boxers ould be paid only on the conquisf absurd demands he told Rickard round bout at the Broadway Sporting 20, 1913 Smith has not fought since he April 4. was knocked out by Jim Coffey, but as he has had a good rest he feels confident of beating Dillon in this match.

> Scotty Montieth manager of Johnny Dundes, declared to-day that he had received an offer of a \$10,000 pures from the manager of the Italian A. C. of New Haven, Conn., for a twenty-round that he had received an offer of a show of the Stadium A. C. which will stage that the property of the Stadium A. C. which will stage Scotty Montieth manager of Johnny Dundee, hattle between Dundre and Benny Leonard, to be fought on Easter Monday night, and that he ac-cepted it. Dundre left for Lakewood to-day, where

on March 31, and it is now up to Pollok to sign the articles, as Billy Otteon has already done so.

54D (1 ton) remember," I naked this country. He is Albert Backed of France, who holds the well-resight title of France, who holds the well-resight title of France and Lagrant Backed is under the management of than Moketrees who brought him here. McKet tell mays that Badoul has fought sixty fights. stimming forty-five of them by knowless. Dan wants to match him with Willie Ritchie, Harring will be ready to fight in three weeks.

If Andre Anderson's right hand, which he broke to his fight with Jack Keating at the Glermont A. C. of Brooklyn ten days ago, is well enough for him to box with by March 28 he will Its shows in Manhatian Opera House.

a tattle Beeny Leonard, the crack local light-weight, returned to-day from Philadelphia, where he save bam Robidean a bad heating in a six-round bout last night. After a rest of a few

made a great showing in his bouts with Pranane Whitner Toman Lowe and Grove Harve, at Savennai via, will fight Tomany Lowe, the resin. That was one lime I had George 'Knockout' Brown, the George mid- parameter, or, on March 17, and discussing the beautiful by a Granfield, Mars. on April 4.

Athens Games Postponed.

BELL SAVES ROBIDEAU FROM KNOCKOUT BY

sational Lightweight Boxer.

LEONARD IN SIXTH

Special to The Evening Wood.; PHILADELPHIA, March 14. THE bell saved Sammy Robidsau. the local lightweight scrapper, from being knocked out by senny Leonard, the sensational glove wielder from Gotham, in the sixth ever an unlucky ball player and inround of their bout at the Olympia jury may overtake him at any time. A. A. last night.

White Emphants of Brown Pales on the Control of the Section 150 151 170 Miller of 171 171 Miller of 171 175 Martin 150 121 175 Martin 150 121 175 Martin 150 121 175 Martin 150 121 175 Martin 150 Mar The finish of the fight was sense. tional. A wicked left to the jaw floored Sam for the count. He got up with a glassy look and tried to the Teutonic dome over the left field

Jack Dillon, the legitimate light heavyweight champion, who has already country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country, is a twenty-round bout at fixed bor last fall. Capt. Seth Low 2d country at the fixed bor last fall capt. veloped in the short time afforded and because of his great knowledge of watermanship, which fits him for any place in the boat. The need place in the boat. The i

Beitton Whips Brennan, BUFFALO, N. Y., March 14 .- Jack Britton showed wonderful class when he defeated K. O. Brennan at the

Queensberry A. C. here last night. Brennan had twelve pounds advantage, Breman has twelve pounds advantage, but Britton offset that with his wonder-ful speed and cleverness. He kept his left hand in Brennan's face all through the battle and at times he outslugged him. Brennan made a rushing battle. He sent in a number of hard right and left-hand swings, some of which landed, but as Britton was going away they fought on Easter Monday night, and that we explod it. Dandes left for Lakewood to-day, where he will not up for two weeks.

Champson and Loo Bens of Montana and Al McCoy, the middleweight champion, are going through a hard. If Harry Police is as willing to let Freddie will be fought at the Broadway sporting Club of Broadly as the Broadway sporting Club of Broadly

Giants' Infield Troubles Centred on Third Base and Unlucky Hans Lobert

WILLARD MUST

THAT WOULD GIVE THE

MILKMEN A CHANCE

TO SEE HIM WOR

RAIN AT 3 AM.

Speedy Ex-Phillie Can Make McGraw's Problem Easy by a Successful "Come Back"-Brainerd and Babbington Ambitious and Ready to Fill In.

By Bozeman Bulger.

THE success of the Glant infield depends mainly upon Hans Lobert. There will be no change at first base, second base or shortstop. MERKLE, DOYLE AND FLETCHER ARE AS SURE OF THEIR POSITIONS AS M'GRAW IS OF MANAGING THE TEAM. In fact, it would be difficult to find a stronger bitting and fielding combination than those three in either league. Fletcher outhits the shortstops. Merkle outhit all the first basemen in the country with the exception of Luderus and Daubert, and he was just a point or so behind Daubert. Doyle, as you

There are ambitious youngsters Philadelphia Star Is Badly nghting to dislode one or all of those in type. He hite well and hee boys from their jobs, but to offer beautiful throw to first. There is n them encouragement would be foolish.

> The whole infield problem to contred at third base, and it is up to Lobert to make it easy of solution or put MoGraw in one of the worst dilemmas he has encountered. Present indications point to Lobert's coming through with a good year, but he was Only the other day he took his first real turn at third, only to be hit squarely in the middle of the forehead with a batted ball that bounded from

MoGraw, "but make those recruits keep 'em off my feet. I'll need these

LOBERT IS FAST, BUT HAS AL-

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 14.—
Reland Harriman, son of the late E.
H. Harriman, will be the new stroke of the Yale crew when the boat goes out of the harbor to-day. Harriman will take the place of Tony Morse, who was graduated last June. In the race with Columbia on the har-bor last fall.

**Cor several years McGraw had been and Colts, "but he will certainly bear watching. He has the instinct of a ballplayer. I haven't been able to tell much about his hitting against curve balls, but you can rest assured that he will not get away without having had his chance."

Redriguez, the other infield candillast fall.

Redriguez, the other infield candillast fall. substitute, had to play third a big part of the season. To begin with, Big Bill Ritter broke one of Lobert's ribs with a pitched ball in practice, and then Alexander of the Philitee cracked two more in a game. Then, to add to his misfortunes, a site into third base put one of Lobert's ankles out of commission. Though slightly overweight Hans is

Stock and Al Demarce.

Notwithstanding his prestige, Lobert

MARLIN, March 14.

know, led the National League hitters, bringing the batting championship to New York for the first time.

There isn't a chance.

man. If Lobert slips he will go to third PROMISING YOUNGSTERS. Babbington, who came to the club as an outfielder and who is the best of all the young hitters, is also being given a chance in the infield. He is not so fast as Brainard, but is a trifle stronger at the bat. But for what looked like a weak arm last summer Babbington would have been a regular outfielder by now. Fearing of The Evening World three-man amateur tournament, Thur's wash. 224; Costs. 216.

Then Reich wanted \$50 a by to box with me. Do you think he's ay better than the boys who are with me now and who helped me win om Johnson? I wouldn't pay him lest night.

The Evening World three-man amateur tournament, Thur's wash. 224; Costs. 216.

Resi. Score Miller, 226; Requested, 241; With a glassy look and tried to fence near the foul tine. On the Local weather the storm. Leonard was on fence near the foul tine. On the Local weather the storm the storm that a wildcat, flinging trio were entertained at the Hunts pointers are the shape and size of a hen's for an opening. A right clipped the first, while the Hunts Pointers took the second and third sessions.

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and keeps it going until the game is

does his work nicely, but at times appears to be dazed. Rodriguez comes from the Almendares Club of Ha-

ally by McGraw, who saw him work in several winter games.

Rodriguez is no exception. He seems to be lost, however, in not being able to understand what is being said.

It seems a pity, because the young Cuban is like a flash when in action and many of the players think him a sure comer. His friend Palmero acts as interpreter, but when it is recalled that this time last spring Palmero could not speak a word of Fire.

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mero could not speak a word of Eng-lish that is not a very efficient ar-rangement. On exciting occasions both of them get mixed up and their arms fly around like those of a wind-mill. It is a saying in Cuba that when an excitable Spaniard loses one arm he stutters the rest of his life.

An interesting young player is Mar-tin, formerly a shortstop at George-town University. Last year he got a chance with the Boston Braves, but

suffered a broken leg and had to give up. McGraw picked him up during

he winter and is giving the boy an-

rize fighter type than the ball player

He is short, but extremely stocky. Above the waist he looks like a heavy-

reight. Still he is one of the shortest nen on the club in stature. Martin

as what is known in baseball as a

old of a ground ball very much in

Kelley, the other infielder, is

absolutely sure of a job. He is the real flash of the spring. Un-

ther chance.

All the Cubans have good arms and

vana, Cuba, and was selected person

WAYS BEEN UNLUCKY.

Lobert, brought to New York as a star just a year ago, had a disappointing season and was never able to give his best efforts to the club.

McGraw as we watched him in a to give his best efforts to the club.

in full possession of his health this spring and is making a valiant try to recompense McGraw for the money paid for him a year ago in addition to which the Phillies also got Milton

realizes that he must fight for his job this spring, and there are two young men hereabouts who are making him hustle. One is Tom Hunter, a semipro from around Wheeling; the other is Fred Brainard, the utility infielder of last season. There is still another candidate in Shepner, the amateur ten rounds at the Military Athlette Club on Sporting Club on March 14 Instead of baving Sporting Club on March 14 Instead of baving Sporting Club on March 14 Instead of baving Sporting Club on March 15 Instead of baving Sporting Club on March 16 Instead of baving Sporting Club on March 18 Instead of baving Sporting Club on March 19 Instead on March from Pittsburgh, but his chances are

going it will be difficult to oust him. the southern A C of 14.—The Pan-Hellene Olympian Games last spring and is now a rangy six
and the southern A C of 14.—The Pan-Hellene Olympian Games last spring and is now a rangy six
mobilization of the Greek arms.

BY PROF. MIKE DONOVAN,
Famous Middleweight, and ex-Boxing Instructor of N. Y. A. C.
Seldom have I been more agreeably surprised than yesterday afternoon when I am Jess Willard work out. Why, I thought from what I had read that Willard was fat. I expected to see a big fellow with a big paunch. The champion is in excellent condition. Taking into consideration the fact that he has almost two weeks before him he could not be in much better form. Willard eizes up as a far better man than I expected. He punches clean and hard with either hand. He's as fast as a flash too for a fellow of his tremendous size. There is nothing awkward about him. He is withal a good boxer, I do not believe that Frank Moran can hurt Willard. I do not think any boxer of the present day can knock out Willard. I do not think any boxer of the present day can knock out Willard in a ring engagement. He is a great big man.

MIKE DONOVAN DOESN'T THINK JESS WILLARD

BY PROF. MIKE DONOVAN,

CAN BE KNOCKED OUT.

I'LL NOTIFY TEX THAT

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BOUT

tute for Merkle, with a chance of getting in the outfield. Kelley is well over six feet tall and can hit the ball like a shot. When it comes to throwing he is almost in a class by himself. Nobedy on the club, regular or recruit, has anything on him.

anything on him.

If MoGraw was certain as to the personnel of his outfield he could go about the formation of his infield material with more assurance. As yet he knows nothing about Rausch or Robertson, and his infield suffers from the uncertainty. Babington and Kelley both may have to take a crack at the outfield.

In ax weeks the team will have to beautiful throw to first. There is no doubt as to Brainard's being kept with the team as first string utility

In aix weeks the team will have to a cut down to twenty-one men and to final selection is quite a problem. If the outfield were set the Giants would have a very good chance for the pennant. With so much excellent material at hand there would be little trouble about a strong infield.

VOLMER SWIMS TO TITLE.

Herbert Vollmer of Columbia University and the New York A. C. won the 500-yard metropolitan swimming popularity contest, with a match to championship last night in the pool of Rutgers College, but he had a nar-"It's all right 'slong as they bounce though he came cheap. He was the control of the came and though he came cheap. He was the control of the came cheap. He was the control of the came cheap. He was the control of the came cheap. He was the came cheap. The came player—the kind so popular with New er. He lost several yards in the early York fans. From the minute the first ball is pitched he sets up a chatter

SIR THOMAS AFTER CUP.

LONDON, March 14.-Sir Thomas Lip. their football players individually. ton, in a letter to the Essex Yacht Club, says he hopes to compete next year for the yacht Shamrock IV., which was to to tell much about his hitting against curve balls, but you can rest assured that he will not get away without having had his chance."

Rodriguez, the other infield candidate, is seriously handicapped by his inability to speak English. He cannot get the necessary pep into his work or catch the spirit of a verbal fight between the practice teams. He cannot show the practice teams. He light between the practice teams are the practice teams and the challenger was housed in a Brooklyn shippard, where she light between the practice teams. He light between the practice teams are the practice teams are the practice teams. He light between the practice teams are the

Johnny Ertie, the St. Paul bantam- from the door if he had the weight, shaded Young Zulu Kid, the weight, shaded Young Zulu Rid, the clever bantam of Brooklyn, in a tenround bout at the Clermont A. C. of Brooklyn last night, but in order to do so he had to fight the hardest battle he has so far engaged in at any of the local clubs. The Brooklyn lad fought Ertle every inch of the journey and landed more left-hand jabs in his face than he has been hit with since he came than he has been hit with since he came landed more left-hand Jabs in his face than he has been hit with since he came Bast. In the last round Young Zulu Kid fought Ertle all around the ring, letting fly with left and right-hand swings for his face and Jaw. Ertle's aggressiveness entitled him to the honors. Ertle weighed 117% pounds and Young Zulu Kid 110.

Christie-George Chip Bout a Draw. MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 14. - Gus Christie of Milwaukee and George Chip of New Castle found the eight-round route too short to settle their middleweight dispute when they pulled up to a draw at the Phoenix Athletic Club last night. Referee Billy Haack hoisted both hands at the finish and there were no murmurs of dissent from the audience, which had at almost spellbound while the two huskles fought like savages.

In g. bleeding or protruding piles, hemorrholds and all rectal troubles, in the privacy of druggists. A single box often cures, before the two huskles fought like savages. In appearance Martin is more of the savages.

Griffithe Shades Beecher.

COLUMBUS, O., March 14 .-- Johnny Griffiths of Akron was given a shade over Willie Beecher of New York in twelve-round bout here last night. Grif fiths outpointed Beecher in the earl stages of the fight, but was forced to exert himself to keep this advantage in the closing rounds. The weights were Griffiths, 146: Beecher, 142. the manner of Hans Wagner, and his hands are so big and strong that he soldom makes a fumble. He is supposed to be a good hitter, but little can be judged of that in the trials

Touhey Outpoints Jones. Tommy Touhey, the Paterson feather weight, outpointed Willie Jones of carey Phalen defeated George

PUTTING 'EM OVER With "Bugs" Baer



"M TALKS, AND LOUD-EST OF ALL IS HUSH

SUBMARINING A CANARD.

When they say Willard's olumey They fill us with mirth; Why, that bird can unshoe In a sky Pullman berth.

And to claim he lacks footwork Is remote from the truth; Why, that baby can turn In a telephone booth.

into fast company, but he should remember there are two kinds of fast

Every hick leaguer aspires to bus

Because the ice is off the dumbcatter is no sign that spring is here

Although not masked, very for of Ted Meredith's competitors over une Ike Dorgen has Moran's carns

carefully mapped out. Frank will pro-ceed by knocking Jess down eight times in the first round and then gradually work up to the climax. Twopiness should remember that no walks what actentiats of the Rockerfeller Resolution claim, Ratid Rudolph was the man who discovered the boul weeril.

The Boxing Commission's 7000 200 Irisen Tom Jones's commerce

TRAINING CAMPS.

No refugee from a baseball comcentration camp has been able to give a coherent reason why they call 'em training camps. When it ain't raining in a training owner. It is enowing and when it's doing neither it's a typographical error.
The scenery in a training common consists mostly of mashed potenties and chilblains. The only thing you can train for is to bust the frost bits record. No inmete of a Bouthern training camp tous was ever known to be killed in rush for work and all the hotels keepers wear their wallpaper weep

One of the Glant rookies has a poisoned foot. They should eller

Willard's manager is leading the up-Mr. du Pont's laboratory a close second

EARN ONE THING EACH D Radium is selling at \$37,000 & gram. A gram is the ford of

A few more picayune squabbles and Tex Rickard will be convinced that Columbus wasted one perfectly good

As the colleges refuse to number the public will have to pity 'em ed-

ANSWERS TO QUEERIES.

Dear Sir-Where can I see moving pictures of Freddy Welsh in action? ANN NOYES. Freddy hasn't been in action cines the movies were invented.



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weight, outpointed Willie Jones of Breoklyn at the Olympic A. C. of Harliem last night. The lads fought like 2 Star Boxing Houts To-Night; Jack two wildcats from start to finish, with Dillon vs. Gunbeat Shirth, Freddie Reese vs. Frankic Daly. Adm. \$1.00.